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BABIES FOR ADOPTION

DEMAND GREATER THAN THE SUPPLY, ASYLUMS REPORT.

Statements That Exhibit the Considerations That Influence New Yorkers in Adopting Children—One Couple Have Taken Four.

The well to do New York woman is not uniformly opposed to having a child or children in the house, notwithstanding an impression to the contrary, says the New York Sun.

The other side of this story is that in New York there are hundreds of childless homes which would gladly welcome a child could one be had for adoption.

"Surely," it is often urged, "with all the orphan and half orphan and foundling asylums New York supports it is the easiest thing in the world to get a child to adopt!"

For instance, at the State Charities Aid Association, whose office is in the United Charities Building, the secretary showed a bundle of approved applications—seventeen of them—for children under two years of age, and another bundle of twenty-two applications not yet investigated, and no prospect of being able to furnish a fifth of the number of children asked for.

"We got many letters asking for a small child to adopt and so sure generally is the writer that there is a large assortment from which to choose that she goes on to tell what color eyes and hair is preferred, generally ending with the announcement that she wishes a girl of two years or under. It is seldom that any one wants legally to adopt a child over two years old, consequently this reduces the number of available children.

"Much the same state of things is experienced at the New York Orphan Asylum. It is rarely, the manager said, that a child can be handed over for adoption owing to the reluctance of relatives to part altogether with him or her.

"Blood is thicker than water and perhaps it is just as well to hold the orphans in trust (ill they have reached an age when they can choose for themselves or help support themselves in the home of a relative," was his opinion.

The matron at the Nursery and Child's Hospital shook her head. "We are often approached," said she, "by persons in search of a child to adopt but it is rarely they can be accommodated here. The majority of our babies are born in the house and it is the exception to find a mother willing to part with her infant no matter how poor she may be."

At the New York Infant Asylum the superintendent made this surprising statement: "There are ten homes awaiting every healthy available child we can furnish. We have 125 children in the house, we board out nearly 400 more and out of that number last year we could furnish only 92 for adoption. At this moment I have 36 applications for a baby girl of any age under two and one half years. Girls are decidedly the favorites with those seeking a child to adopt but not finding a girl most of the applicants will take a boy.

"But we can't furnish either boys or girls enough. I am surprised, in fact, at the demand for children from New York women and the unselfishness many of the applicants show. For instance, there is one young married woman who told me she was going to give up her saddle horse so that she could adopt a second child. Both she and her husband are fond of children, and having none of their own they are supplying the lack by legally adopting two.

"We have another couple on our books who are well known in society and the husband is a prominent lawyer. In the last six years they have legally adopted four children. Perhaps the most interesting feature in this case is the fact that none of this couple's friends is aware that the children are not their own.

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